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In re: Gawad
 Serial No.: 10/018,614
 Filed: April 15, 2002
 For: **METHOD FOR CONDUCTING CHEMILUMINESCENT BINDING ASSAY**

Confirmation No. 5111
 Group Art Unit: 1641
 Examiner: Nelson C. Yang

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
 (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months to respond to the Office Action dated August 3, 2005.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

- is filed herewith.
 has been filed.

3. Applicant:

- Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
 Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00
	Fee Due	\$225.00

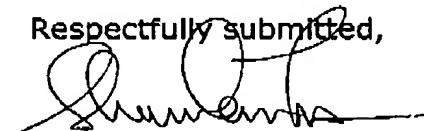
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- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for this and any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

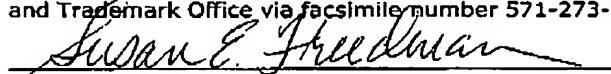


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